GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Health Medical & Family Welfare Department - Departmental Proceedings initiated against Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R, Government Medical College, Nellore) under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Article of Charges framed - Orders - Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (VC.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 167 **Dated: 25-03-2025**

Read the following:

U.O.Note.No.2197985/Ser.l/A1/2023, Home (Ser.I) Dept., Dated:24.02.2025 along with Orders dt: 17-08-2023 of Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Criminal Appeal No.326 of 2017 2025.

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Statement of Article of Charges (Annexure-I). A Statement of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of witnesses by whom and a list of documents/records by which the Article of Charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III & IV).

3. Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) is directed to submit a Written Statement of his Defence within (10) days of the receipt of this order.

4. Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges that are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny article of charge.

5. Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) is further informed that if he does not submit his Written Statement of Defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above or refuse to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 or the orders issued in pursuance of the said rules, the inquiring authority may hold the inquiry against him exparte.

6. Attention of Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) is invited to Rule-24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matter pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter is dealt with in these proceedings, it will be presumed that. Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the AP. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr MANJULA D HOSMANI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, A.C.S.R. Government Medical College, Nellore) through the DME, A.P., Vijayawada.

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The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Vijayawada.
(with a request to serve the order copy and return the served copy with dated acknowledgement.)
The OSD to Hon'ble Min. (HFW&ME).
The PS to Special Chief Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
The PS to Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
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